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Relying upon your support the Sun is endeavoring to have the two together, and to keep them together in order to see what wonders they will accomplish.

**A NEW BOOK.**

The most interesting as well as highly appreciated volume that has reached our office this year is the new book entitled "The American Negro in the Great World War" from the brilliant and versatile pen of that veteran editor and publicist, W. Allison Sweeney, of Chicago. Not a Negro in America who has read the blazing and scintillating editorials of the author in various issues of the Chicago Defender but have and admire him for his manly courage, his erudition and his keen, cutting rapier which he wields with the dexterity of a knight errant. The Sun has no hesitancy in declaring W. Allison Sweeney one of the greatest writers of the age, regardless of race and in this new book which brims with stirring recitals of the Negro's career from Bunker Hill to Chateau Thierry, his best work has been done. That members of the race who neglect to read a volume of this well written and beautifully illustrated book in his library does both himself and the race an injustice, and if you want to read the best book of the year, just write W. Allison Sweeney, Contributing Editor, Chicago Defender, 2223 South Park Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

**THE SECRET.**

Every business firm worthy of our consideration and patronage has a secret of its success. The secret of the Reid, Lang and Company's success resides in its wisdom to provide for the wants of the people and its tact in dealing with them. This product of the Reid, Lang and Co., of Chicago, Ill., has been located at 1228 Main, its present quarters since last September. The commendable feature of this firm is that all its employees are prohibited to insinuate that the Negro is to be given the last attention at the counter. Several of our young men and women fill positions there without prejudicial innuendoes. Therefore, it is inferred that the ambition of this firm is to give satisfaction to all.

Through interest and for the benefit of a large number of our people who trade there we investigated and found that when we buy men's tailored suits, ladies and children's wearing apparel, hardware, furniture, musical instruments and groceries we save from 15 to 20 per cent. And the Profit-Sharing Plan is commendable. Instead of giving away premiums they present their customers with a part of the profit their trading creates. Each patron receives free the profit-sharing certificate which bears annual dividends of 4 to 12 per cent payable in cash twice each year as the patron trades. If you are in doubt or desire to know the actual offers—take advantage of the welcome extended to all and inquire.

We are talking to you along this line because we like to talk to our readers on any matter pertaining to a reduction of the high cost of living. "A penny saved is a penny earned."

The President of the United States went to the Peace Conference to get nothing for his country. He got it.

The President of the United States went to the Peace Conference to get nothing for himself but the presidency of the world. He got it and is to be inaugurated in October.

Great Britain and Japan got the hundred German lands in the Pacific.

Great Britain and France divide the German colonies in Africa.

Japan gets 40,000,000 people and the land they live upon in Shanghai.

France gets Alsace-Lorraine and recognition of her claims on the southern lateral of the Mediterranean.

Italy gets the Southern Tyrol and provinces opposite her on the Adriatic.

Belgium gets sixty miles of Germany along her eastern frontier.

Switzerland gets the capital of the League of Nations.

Great Britain gets agreement under which she is to maintain control of the Seven Seas, most of her formidable maritime being turned over to her. She gets absolute title to Egypt and a covenant of the military forces of the world help her suppress efforts

to secure independence of any of her possessions on which are a third of the population of this planet.

Belgium, France, England and Italy get together an indemnity forty times as large as the biggest of which history speaks.

Oh, yes! We get a debt of thirty billions, thousands of saddened homes, and the ill-will of many nations whose good will we should have had—Cleveland Gazette.

## Classified Wants and Rooms to Rent

**WANTED, Housekeeper**—One with experience and good references; good place for right party. Apply first floor South, 1414 Euclid.

**FOR RENT**—A few more neatly furnished rooms left. Mrs. N. S. Adams, 910 Garfield Ave. Bell Phone East 1865.

**FOR RENT**—Two furnished rooms, 2205 E. 14th street. Mrs. Amanda Williams, Bell Phone East 1455. 2t

**FOR SALE.**

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Brooklyn, 1212—Six-room brick with modern two apartments, price \$5,500. \$1,000 down, balance easy terms.

Garfield & 18th, eight room brick strictly modern, price \$1,500. \$200 down, balance \$20.00 per month and interest.

1807 E. 2nd St. Frame, 2 apartments, electric lights and water in lot, 50 feet wide, price \$1,000. \$200 down, balance \$10.00 month and interest.

Highland, 1232—Two houses with water and gas, 21-foot lot, rents for \$25.00 per month, price \$1,500.00, \$100.00 down, balance \$25.00 per month and interest.

Forest, 1774—Eighteen room brick, strictly modern, fine place for owners. Price \$5,000. \$500 down, balance \$20.00 monthly and interest. Property now renting for \$50.00 per month.

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Madison, 2623—Three large rooms and attic. Price \$750. \$50 down, balance \$8.00 per month and interest.

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See Kinsler, Bell phone Grand 4204, Home East 250. Office 918 East 21st Street.

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To look after the interests of our people who want to buy homes or borrow money on real estate. The time has come when renting a house in Kansas City is very uncertain and unprofitable proposition.

I have a large list of homes for sale with prices and terms in reach of anyone who has really made up their mind to BUY A HOME AND STOP PAYING RENT.

Look over this list, then come and see me, or call me up and make an appointment to go out and look at them. I have many others, too numerous to mention here. If I can't show you a house that is as good or better than the other fellow's for the money, I won't expect you to buy from me.

5532 Euclid—6-room house, and barn; \$1,400, \$100 down, \$15 month.

911 Highland—7-room, frame; \$2,200, \$200 down, \$20 month.

921 Michigan Ave.—8-room, modern; \$2,200, \$300 down, balance easy.

Eighteenth Street between Highland and Woodland—6-room, 2-story, frame; fine for business. Price \$2,750, \$300 down, \$25 month.

1235 Woodland—10-room, modern duplex; \$4,500, easy terms.

Fourteenth and Garfield—8-room, strictly modern, brick; large yard; \$4,500, \$500 down.

2206 Flora Ave.—11-room, stucco, duplex; \$3,500, easy terms.

Eight and Oakland, Kansas City, Kas.—5-room, modern cottage; \$1,200, \$200 down balance easy.

914 Highland Ave.—5-room cottage, part modern; \$2,100, \$300 down and \$25 month.

Truck Farm—20 acres; near Shawnee, Kansas; all fenced, but no improvements; \$2,800.

AND MANY OTHERS. GET COMPLETE LIST AT OFFICE.

FORTUNE J. WEAVER,  
Temporary Address: 1615 Euclid. Bell Phone East 3485.

## Negro Business and Professional Directory of Greater Kansas City

**ATTORNEYS.**

**FORREST B. ANDERSON, Lawyer,**  
529 State Avenue, Kansas City, Kas.  
Bell Phone West 1050.

**BAKERIES.**

**HOME BAKERY, Mrs. A. Compton,**  
Prop. 1801 East 18th Street.

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HALL, G. W. Woods, Prop. 1518 E. 19th St. Bell Phone East 3203.

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**MRS. FANNIE HERNDON NAPIER,**  
Poro Hair Dresser, 820 South Fourth St., Armourdale, Kan.

**MRS. ETHEL HOLBERT, Poro Hair**  
Dresser, 806 Brooklyn Ave.

**MRS. ELLA DOWNING, Poro Hair**  
Dresser, 354 Garfield Ave. Bell Phone West 1794.

**HUMAN HAIR WORK SHOP, 2407**  
Vine St. Mrs. Anna Allen, Prop. Bell phone East 3828.

**LABELLE COLLEGE AND HAIR EM-**  
PORIUM, Mrs. S. E. Laing, Prop. Bell phone East 2508-W. 1607 E. 18th St.

**MRS. ANNA MCGEE, Poro Hair**  
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**ON FOREST**—(a) 2-story frame, 8 rooms, modern, 4 rooms on 1st floor; fruit room, storage room, reception hall, porch, slate roof. (b) Frame, 6 rooms, modern except heat; good condition; reasonable.

**ON TRACY**—(a) Two-story brick, 8 rooms, 4 rooms on first floor; strictly modern, 2200 block. (c) Two-story brick, 8 rooms, modern, oak woodwork, reception hall, 2300 block. (d) Two-story brick, 12 rooms, modern, hardwood floors, reception hall, garage, 3300 block.

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**KANSAS CITY, KANSAS:**

**ON PARALLEL**—Frame cottage, 5 rooms and reception hall, strictly modern, electricity and gas, oak woodwork, china closet in wall (oak), fruit trees, south front, lot 56x110 feet.

**ON FRANKLIN**—Frame cottage, 5 rooms, 50-ft. front.

**Two-story brick veneer, 7 rooms and reception hall, hardwood floors, strictly modern; terms reasonable.**

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It is our aim to make money for you in the purchase of any properties we have listed and an investigation of what we have done in this respect, will satisfy you.

Below we give a list of properties, as located that they will prove profitable as an investment or home:

**1510 EAST 10TH STREET**—7 rooms, modern, frame, newly painted, 16x120, south exposure and near Paseo Boulevard; a very desirable place for one yard; engaged in the rooming house business, being on the Brooklyn Avenue car line and as business property is an ideal place for a 6 or 8-apartment flat. Priced very low; terms to suit.

**16TH AND FOREST**—2-story, 8-room modern frame house, large deep lot; house in good condition. Price \$2,600; terms, large barn, garden spot and nice chicken yard. \$2,000; small cash payment.

**E. A. SHACKLEFORD, Attorney-at-Law, 511 Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, Kas.** Bell Phone West 3866.

**HUESTON & CALLOWAY, Attorneys**  
at Law, 1612 E. 12th St. Home Phone, East 2850. Bell Phone, East 4648.

**MASSEURS.**

**MRS. A. M. H. BUSH, Trained Mag-**  
netic Masseuse, 2004 E. 9th St. Bell Phone East 4064.

**PHOTOGRAPHERS.**

**J. E. MILLER STUDIO, 1622 East**  
Eighteenth street. Bell phone, E. 91.

**MURDOCK'S STUDIO, 2110 Vine, W. E. Murdock, Prop.; Bell Phone East 1849.**

**PRINTERS.**

**JOHN LANGE, 1613 East 15th St.**  
Bell phone East 3152.

**C. A. FRANKLIN, 1509 East 13th St.**  
Bell Phone, Grand 2988.

**REAL ESTATE AND RENTALS.**

**WILLIAMS & JACKSON, 1704 East**  
12th St. Both phones, East 1415.

**H. L. KINSLER, 918 East Twenty-**  
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**SHOE STORE.**

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**ADKINS BROS., Nineteenth and Vine**  
streets. Both Phones, East 4349.

**H. B. MOORE, 1104 Independence**  
avenue. Bell phone Main 3398-W. Home phone Main 3341.

**WATKINS BROS., 1729 Lydia avenue.**  
Bell phone Grand 987. Home Main 7989. Res. Bell East 3281.

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**1211-6-room, 2-story frame, gas**  
water, nice, fine lot; price \$2,100; \$200 first payment.

**1212-Solid brick duplex, strictly**  
modern, 12 rooms; 6 rooms to each apartment; separate; oak finish, hardwood floors; 2 furnaces. Price \$6,000; \$1,000 cash; might do better.

**1417 BROOKLYN AVE.**—Two 5-room apartments; rent \$60; strictly modern; price \$5,000; cash, \$500; balance easy.

**EUCALID AVENUE**—Prospectus bargain, worth \$4,000, will sell for \$3,000; 6-room 2-story frame in Al condition; oak finish; large lot; nice blue grass and flowers growing; electric lights, gas, water. Just the place for a nice duplex or an apartment; lot 50x140; \$200 first payment and balance easy.

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